Social Studies Reflection

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1. Which chapter in World History did you enjoy most this year and why?

I enjoyed chapter ten, Ancient Rome. I enjoyed this chapter because Ancient Rome always amuses me. I find it so cool how they built these massive structures without these big machines. I also find their entertainment really awesome. I love watching gladiator battles. They are just so cool. They also started their own civilization and their own culture by themselves.

2. Describe some of the things that you learned in that chapter. Is there a project that you completed that you enjoyed working on?

I learned a lot about Rome. I learned where it is, about their culture, the climate, how they ruled, about Etruscans, and about their history. I didn’t know any of that information until I learned about this chapter. I didn’t have a project on this chapter. I wish I had though. I also learned a lot about their religion. Now I know what gods the Romans worship, where they worshiped them, and what they did for them.

1. What new skills have you learned throughout the year?

I learned a lot of new skills throughout the year. I have learned to understand about other people’s religion. I have also learned a couple more things. One of them is map making. I learned where to locate landmarks on maps. Another thing is team work. Learning to work with other people is hard. Since I have had to do many projects, I have been able to work with a lot of people very easily. The last skill I have learned is presenting, Talking in front of the class is hard for me. I have gotten used to talking in front of the class so now I can do it a lot easier now.

1. How can you apply this knowledge to the real world?

I can apply this knowledge to the real world in many ways. I can make maps and follow them if I ever go somewhere. If I get lost all I have to do is follow my map. In the future if I get a job that has to do with teamwork or presenting something then I will be able to do it easily. I have had tons of practice so I know what to do now. I can just stand up with a partner and present what I have to present.



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